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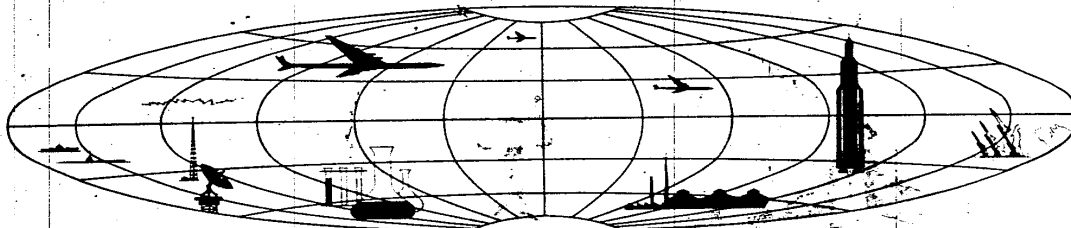
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PREFACE

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In the interest of uniformity, the titles and letter designators for the facilities observed at these installations are identical with those appearing in the project requirement. When a specific facility is not observed both its title and letter designator are omitted in the report.

Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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MILITARY INSTALLATION AND TRAINING AREA

(58-24N 022-12E)

SAAREMAA ISLAND, ESTONSKAYA SSR, USSR

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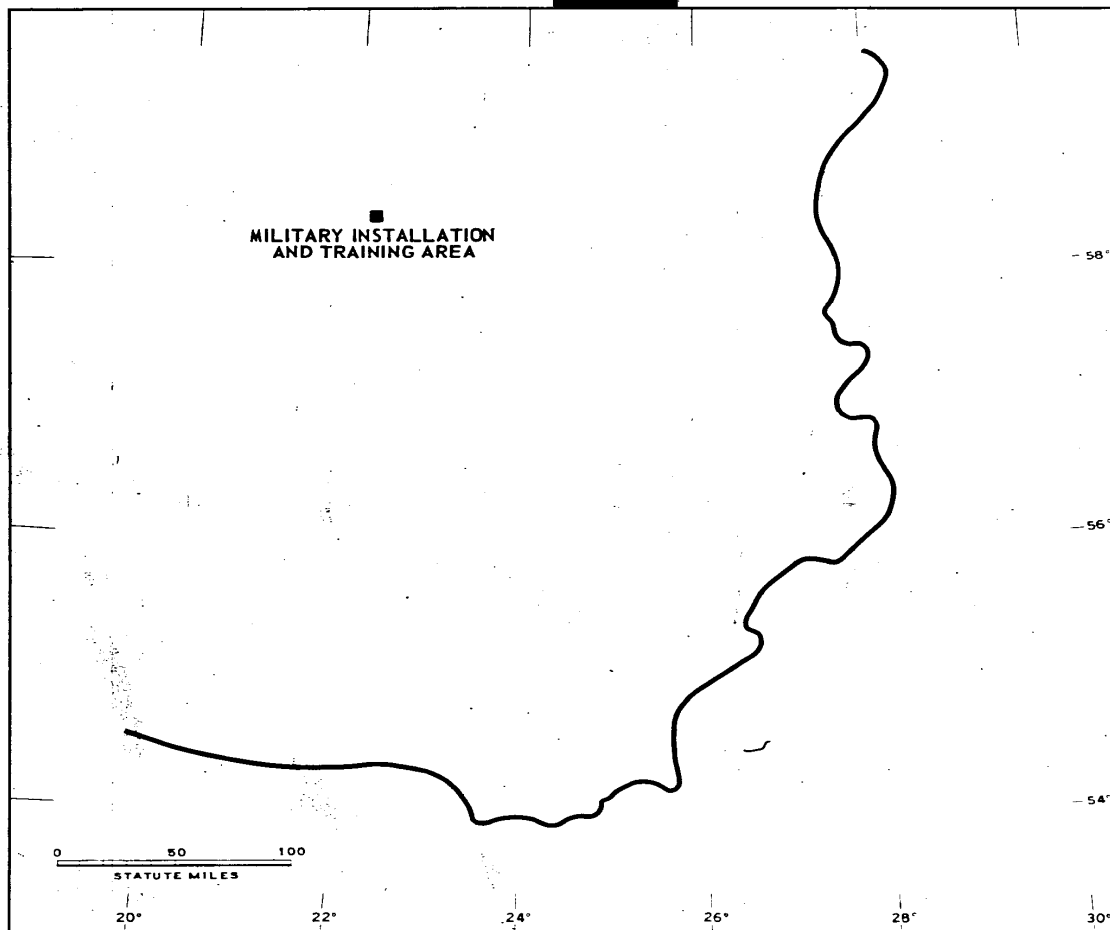


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF MILITARY INSTALLATION AND TRAINING AREA.

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FIGURE 2. MILITARY INSTALLATION AND TRAINING AREA, SAAREMAA ISLAND, USSR

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SUMMARY

This military installation is located on Saaremaa Island, 2.5 kilometers (km) northwest of Lake Karu Jarv and 10 km northwest of Monnuste Airfield (Figure 1). The 1,150-acre installation is rail-and road-served and contains barracks, administration buildings, vehicle storage and maintenance buildings, quarters, and storage and support buildings (Figures 2 and 3).

In the northwest section of the installation is a training area with a tracked-vehicle driver-training course, a flat-trajectory firing range, and a tank/assault-gun firing range. There are 2 small-arms ranges near the barracks area.

The area is covered by KEYHOLE missions in [REDACTED]. Comparative analysis reveals no significant changes during this period.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

The installation is served by a single-track railroad and has a loading area at the extreme northwest edge.

Road Service

Area is served by an all-weather road.

Administrative and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 2 multistory barracks (one under construction) and one administration building.

Area D2 contains 4 multistory barracks (2 under construction), 4 administration buildings (one multistory), 4 storage buildings, and 7 support buildings.

Area D3 contains 17 barracks/quarters (9 multistory), one multistory administration building and 1 storage building.

General Storage Areas

Area E1 contains 5 storage buildings.

Area E2 contains 8 storage buildings.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Areas

Area J1 contains two 320- by 45-foot vehicle storage buildings, two 250- by 40-foot vehicle storage buildings, one 320- by 35-foot vehicle

storage building, one 100- by 35-foot vehicle storage building, one 60- by 35-foot vehicle storage building, one 180- by 60-foot vehicle maintenance building, one 140- by 50-foot vehicle maintenance building, one administration building, 3 storage buildings, and 6 supply buildings.

Area J2 contains one 440- by 60-foot vehicle storage building, one 160- by 50-foot vehicle storage building, one 100- by 50-foot vehicle maintenance building, one 60- by 60-foot vehicle maintenance building, one storage building, and 4 support buildings.

Athletic Field

Area K is an athletic field.

Small-Arms Firing Ranges

Area L1 is a 460- by 40-foot small-arms firing range and Area L2 is a 400- by 60-foot small-arms firing range.

Driver-Training Area

Area M is a tracked-vehicle driver-training area.

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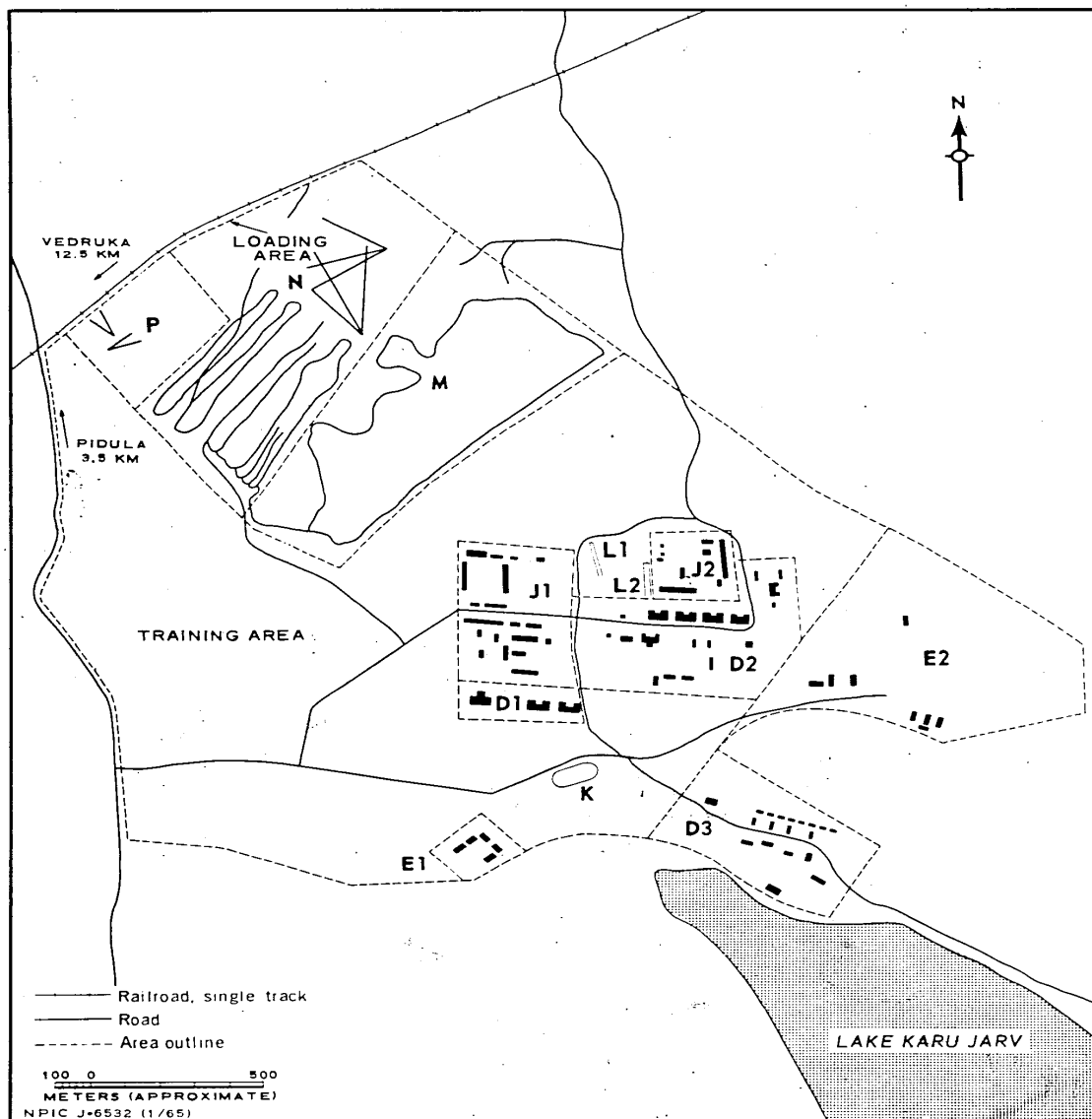


FIGURE 3. MILITARY INSTALLATION AND TRAINING AREA. Sketch compiled from

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Tank/Assault-Gun Firing Range

Area N is a 2,800-foot tank/assault-gun firing range with five 1,850-foot lanes and 6 targets.

Flat-Trajectory Firing Range

Area P is a 1,500-foot flat-trajectory firing range with 4 targets.

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